Overview

This stream is for a Master of Philosophy in Actuarial Studies.

After completing qualifying courses and/or concurrent prescriptions, research students undertake original research and prepare a research thesis. This must meet high academic standards and be of publishable quality. The thesis will not normally exceed 40,000 words.
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Available in Program(s)

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Master of Philosophy - **MPhil**

**2585 Commerce & Economics**

Faculty: UNSW Business School

Campus: Kensington

Units of Credit: 72

Typical Duration: 1.7 Years
Specialisation Structure

Students must complete 72 UOC.

Core Courses

All MPhil in Actuarial Studies students shall study the following 18 UOC core courses:

ACTL5003  |  6 UOC
Research Methods in Risk and Actuarial Studies

ACTL5100  |  6 UOC
Actuarial Theory and Practice A

ACTL5200  |  6 UOC
Actuarial Theory and Practice B

and an option selected from the relevant postgraduate courses approved by the Head of School. Students who have completed the equivalent of ACTL5100 or ACTL5200 in prior study will substitute courses from the relevant postgraduate courses approved by the Head of School.

Research Thesis

Students must take 48 UOC of the following courses.

ACTL5000  |  12 UOC
Thesis (Actuarial Studies)

ACTL5001  |  6 UOC
Thesis (Part-Time) - Actuarial Studies

and submit a thesis on an approved topic. Normally the thesis should not exceed 40,000 words. All other MPhil program information for this stream is contained in the program record.

Enrolment Disclaimer
Unless advised otherwise by your program authority, you should follow the rules for the handbook for the year you commenced your program. You are also responsible for ensuring you enrol in courses according to your program requirements. myUNSW enrolment checks that you have met enrolment requirements such as pre-requisites for individual courses but not that a course will count towards your program requirements.
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